

INSIGHT

Into The Life Of Hon. Atlee Pomerene

The Lieutenant Governor-Elect Of Ohio

And Prominent Candidate For U. S. Senator

Has Won His Way To Front By Hard Work

And Constantly Hewing To The Line Of Integrity

Canton, Ohio, Nov. 29.—Fifteen years ago there came to Canton from Holmes county, to practice law, a tall, slim youth, unversed in the ways of the world but equipped with one of the brightest minds that ever argued before the Stark county bar. That man was Atlee Pomerene, Ohio's lieut-



HON. ATLEE POMERENE.

tenant governor-elect, and one of the leading candidates for United States senator.

Opening an office, he practiced for several years with dogged persistence, receiving but little notice except by attorneys opposed to him in a case, and they found him the shrewdest of foes. His practice was small, and though it was growing steadily none predicted the brilliant future that has been opened for him.

While practicing law he was received in some of the best homes in Canton. He made friends rapidly and it was not long before he was welcomed in the highest circles in the city. At one of these social affairs he met Miss Mary V. Bockius, daughter of one of the oldest merchants in Canton, and a leader in her set.

The young attorney conducted his courtship with the same intensity of purpose that marked his practice of law. Soon their engagement was announced, and at about the same time the young man began to receive the attention of fellow attorneys.

When Anna E. George was charged with the murder of William Saxton, a brother-in-law of William McKinley, Mr. Pomerene was prosecuting attorney, and although he failed to secure a conviction on a murder charge his conduct of the case was brilliant enough to draw him to the attention of General Charles Grosvenor, of Athens, who congratulated the attorney on his work in the case and even charged that but for prejudice shown by the court he would have secured a conviction for first degree murder.

The case was a stepping stone to fame, and he soon built up a practice second to none in the country. Then he began to turn his attention more to politics. He had served as city solicitor and prosecuting attorney, then refused to accept office again until the convention in Dayton, when he was nominated.

The years have worked a change in the once fragile looking youth.

Mr. Pomerene has filled out with advancing age and he is now a big, muscular man, with penetrating eyes and an open, frank countenance, who strides rather than walks. His bearing is that of a military man. His voice is low and firm—almost too low for a campaign orator. Every word is carefully weighed before being uttered, and he speaks slowly and distinctly.

His home life is ideal. Although wedded for several years, Mr. and Mrs. Pomerene are the sweethearts of youth. Where one is the other will be found also, and his gallantry toward his wife is as marked as that of William McKinley toward his life companion.

Every night during his campaign a telephone call advised Mrs. Pomerene that all was well with him. Both are plain in their tastes, even to clothing; and their modest cottage in North Market street—the finest residence district in the city—is evidence of this. Mr. Pomerene is conservative in every way, and his wife is an ideal partner for a man of his temperament. Both are close students of the classics, in which Shakespeare is the favorite.

Mrs. Pomerene is not as active in society as in former years, preferring the quiet hours of her home with her husband to the giddy whirl. Though rather reserved, her disposition is one that makes friends with a look.

Neither cares for automobiles or horses, but both enjoy the exercise of a brisk walk. It is rarely that either uses the street car for a trip downtown. They have no children.

Mr. Pomerene is strictly a self-made man. Of well-to-do parents, he preferred to make his own way through Princeton university rather than accept aid from home, and this he did. That he put in his hours in study is shown by his innocence of the garish.

As an English scholar few persons can compare with Mr. Pomerene, and his campaign speeches are masterpieces of the use of language, while his plans in court are held up as models to young attorneys. Most of his practice is of that variety known to lawyers as "office."

He is of Scotch descent, his father having been a physician. His name, Atlee, is derived from a Scotch word, "Atle-the-la," according to his explanation, a friend during the campaign. In Canton he is never known as "Atlee Pomerene," but always as Atlee Pomerene. He is a plain man, who receives the plain tribute of the plain people.

Mr. Pomerene is a son of Dr. Peter P. Pomerene and Elizabeth Pomerene, and was born at Berlin, Holmes county, Ohio, December 6, 1863. He received his preliminary education in the district schools, and later attended preparatory school at Vermillion institute at Haysville, Ohio. While there he was tutor of Latin and Greek for one year. He was graduated at Princeton college in 1884 as one of the honor men of his class. He then read law in the office of General Durbly Ward at Cincinnati, graduated at the Cincinnati law school in 1886, and at the commencement exercises was awarded the Forensic debate prize.

In August, 1886, he located at Canton, Ohio, and began the practice of his profession. His election as city solicitor of Canton came in 1887, and he was re-elected in 1889.

During the first McKinley-Bryan campaign in 1896, he was elected prosecuting attorney of Stark county, and was the only Democratic county official elected in Stark county from 1892 to 1908. While in the prosecutor's office he had many important criminal cases and succeeded, among other things, in breaking up a large gang of burglars and thieves, who, for more than a year and longer, made Canton their headquarters, going out on expeditions and torturing defenseless old people in order to get their money.

He also served as a member of the board of education in the city of Canton; was a member of the honorary Ohio tax commission appointed by Governor Harris, which report was submitted to the governor in 1908, and for five years was a member and president of Canton's sinking fund and tax commission.

He was a candidate for the nomination for governor at the time Governor Harmon received his first nomination, and came within about 80 votes of securing the nomination.

He has been all his life engaged in the general practice of the law and among other cases was retained by the city in its fight against the East Ohio Gas company. The case was won in the common pleas court, but later the same question in the Akron case was decided adversely to the city by the supreme court in a divided opinion.

He has been an active member of the Canton board of trade and always has taken an interest in matters pertaining to the public welfare.

WANTS TO HELP SOME ONE

For thirty years J. F. Boyer, of Fertilizer, Mo., needed help and couldn't find it. That's why he wants to help some one now. Suffering so long himself he feels for all distress from Backache, nervousness, Loss of Appetite, Lassitude and Kidney Disorders. He shows that Electric Bitters work wonders for such troubles. "Five bottles," he writes, "wholly cured me and now I am well and hearty." It's also positively guaranteed for Liver Trouble, Dyspepsia, Blood Disorders, Female Complaints and Malaria. Try them. 50 cents at G. R. Baker's, or F. Fink, Fredericktown.

***** BIRTHS ***** A daughter was born Tuesday morning to Mr. and Mrs. George Mowery of Buckeye City.

REPORT

Of The Boys' Conference Held In Newark, O.

And Attended By Boys From Mt. Vernon

Several Excellent Addresses Were Given

And A Banquet Enjoyed By All Present

An Echo Meeting To Be Held In This City

(By E. H. Jesson)

Three hundred and fifty boys and about twenty-five leaders gathered at Newark Friday afternoon for the seventh annual boys' conference. All the delegates were assigned entertainment in the home of the Newark people and from all the young men came the report that they were heartily welcomed to the best that the city had. "Christian Manliness" was the theme of the conference. Mr. Jesse Vico, an attorney from Bellevue, Ohio, is chairman of the State Boys' work committee, and presided at all the meetings. Mr. Richard White, of the International committee, who gives all of his time to the religious side of the boys' work, conducted all the devotional services and in every meeting Mr. Bennett of Newark made the opening address, upon the topic, "Christian Manliness." At 5:45 the boys lined up for a street parade at the conclusion of which they marched in to the banquet hall of the First Presbyterian church, where a magnificent supper was served them by the ladies of the various churches. During the parade and the opening part of the banquet enthusiasm expressed in yells and songs, seemed to have no limit.

At this time the mayor of the city in a very happy and forceful manner welcomed the boys to the city and urged the idea of the boys developing into the very strongest manhood. After this President Hunt of Denison University was introduced as toastmaster and made a splendid address. He then called for some expression from each delegation, this was presented either by yell, song or brief remarks. Mr. Ed. S. Connor, coach for the Lincoln High school, Cleveland, made a very remarkable address and greatly impressed the young men with the need for developing into the strongest possible all around manhood in order to attain the greatest efficiency in any one particular.

Saturday was given to the regular conference work, discussing methods and various lines of activity.

One of the strongest addresses was that of Mr. A. H. Lichty, secretary for the student work of the state. He made a strong appeal for the boys to arrange, if possible, to go to college and then outlined the work that the association is doing to get men started right when they enter college. In the evening invitations were received from Hamilton, Medina county, Youngstown and Bellevue for the next conference. After a very comical and interesting debate, on the part of the various delegations the vote was nearly unanimous for Medina county, in fact at the call of the chair the vote was made unanimous.

On Sunday the boys went to Sunday school and church with their hosts, most of the pupils were filled with association men, addressing themselves to the boys' problem and the church.

Two of the strongest addresses of the conference were those of Winfield S. Hall, M. D. of Chicago in the afternoon to about 700 boys and the closing address of the conference in the evening by Mr. R. A. Waite.

Dr. Hall's address was a masterpiece, calculated to inspire the young men to take the very best care of their bodies and to make the very best use of their strength. Mr. Waite's appeal was that the boys take some forward step, that they go back home to be, not only better boys but more useful in the schools and community at large.

There is no question but that this was one of the finest conferences on boys' work ever held in the state.

On next Sunday the boys will hold an echo meeting at the Mt. Vernon association building to which every boy in the city over 12 years of age is invited.

REPORT

Of The Public Schools Of The City Made By Clerk

Of The Board Of Education To The City Auditor

In the financial report made to the city auditor Tuesday by Clerk Coyner of the Mt. Vernon board of education, the following figures are shown: Total receipts during the year ending on September 1st, 1910, including the balance on hand on September 1, 1909, \$84,577.21. Expenditures during the year ending September 1st, 1910, \$74,294.79. Balance on hand September 1st, 1910, \$10,282.42. The tax rate for school purposes is 13 1/2 mills.

The clerk's books show that the number of teachers employed in the elementary branches is 35, teachers in the high school, 11, there being four special teachers employed by the board. The superintendent and six janitors complete the force of people employed by the board of education for the carrying out of the work of the public schools of Mt. Vernon.

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BRIEF

Was The Meeting Of Council Monday Evening

A Number Of Ordinances Were Introduced

The city council met in regular session on Monday evening with President Edward Dever in the chair. City Auditor Dorgan acted as clerk owing to the absence of Clerk McIntire, who was unable to be present at the meeting on account of illness. All members were present excepting Mr. Salisbury, and the minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

City Solicitor Leonard reported on the matter of opening East Front street and Huckleberry avenue and stated that nothing definite had been done in the matter owing to the uncertainty as to the advisability of doing the work.

An ordinance to issue bonds for the purpose of raising \$3,500 for the purpose of purchasing land necessary for the addition to Mount View cemetery, bonds to the amount of \$2,000 to bear the date of January 15th, 1911, and bonds to the amount \$1,500 to bear the date of June 1, 1911, was introduced.

An ordinance to transfer \$200 from one department of the public service fund to another was introduced and read for the first time by its title.

Mr. Cole moved that the matter of opening East Front street and Huckleberry avenue be referred to the public improvement committee. The motion carried.

Adjourned.

Mr. C. E. McManis of this city, went to Akron Wednesday morning to attend to some business matters.

VOTE IS SMALLER; PLURALITY LARGER

Harmon's Big Victory Due to Republican Slump.

Columbus, O., Nov. 30.—According to official figures on the recent election Judson Harmon, Democrat, was re-elected governor of Ohio over Warren G. Harding of Marion, Republican, by 100,377 votes. He polled 75,492 votes less than he did two years ago, while Harding's vote fell 156,497 below that cast for ex-Governor Andrew L. Harris, candidate in 1908.

Thomas Clifford of Cleveland, Socialist, gained 32,064, his total vote being 60,647. Ten per cent of this vote came from Franklin county, including Columbus, where there had been labor troubles. Henry A. Thompson, Prohibition candidate for governor, polled 7,123 votes, and J. R. Miley, candidate of the Socialist Labor party, polled 2,920 votes. Miley made a gain of 2,129.

The total vote cast was 932,262, against 1,123,198, the total vote cast for governor two years ago, when President Taft was elected.

Attorney General U. G. Denman, Republican, led the Republican state ticket, but lost to T. S. Hogan of Wellston, Democrat, by 7,962. A fight was made on State Treasurer D. S. Creamer, Democrat, on a "graft" issue, but had little effect on the result. Creamer's plurality was 26,070.

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ANKLE

Broken In A Fall From A Scaffold

A. F. Horton, residing at North Liberty, met with a very unfortunate accident while at the home of a neighbor just west of the village on Monday afternoon. Mr. Horton was engaged in papering the ceiling of a room and was standing on a scaffold about four feet from the floor when the boards of the scaffold slipped and he was thrown heavily to the floor. In the fall, Mr. Horton gave his left foot a sudden wrench, breaking the bone in the ankle. Dr. Gray of North Liberty was called to reduce the fracture.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

Sarah L. Dalrymple, Plaintiff vs. Phoebe L. Jackson et al., Defendants. KNOX COMMON PLEAS. By virtue of an order of sale in the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the door of the court house, in Mount Vernon, Knox County, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 31st day of December, 1910,

between the hours of 1 p. m. and 3 p. m. of said day, the following described land and tenements, to-wit: The following described real estate, all situated in the township of Liberty, county of Knox and State of Ohio, and being all the real estate which was devised by said Sarah L. Dalrymple for life, by the Last Will and Testament of Andrew Dalrymple, deceased, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST PARCEL The following described real estate situated in the northwest corner of Lot Four, in the Second Quarter of Township Six, Range Fourteen, Knox County, Ohio, beginning at a point in the center of the Liberty Road, Co. called; thence N. 80 deg. 30 min. E. 13 poles to the center of said road, 63.39 poles to the center of the Delaware road; thence in an easterly direction along the center of said Delaware road, 45 poles; thence N. 2 deg. 25 min. E. 13 poles to the center of said road, 45 poles; thence N. 4 deg. 30 min. E. 47.03 poles to a post; thence N. 83 deg. 15 min. W. 76.09 poles to the beginning, containing twenty-four and 99-100 acres. (24.99 A.)

SECOND PARCEL The following described real estate in the Second Quarter of township Six, Range Fourteen, Knox County, Ohio, and being the south part of lot No. 13, and being part of the Hog's Section, so called, beginning at the center of the intersection of the Delaware Road and the Liberty road, so called; thence in a southerly direction along the center of said Liberty Road, 16.61 rods to a stake; thence S. 73 deg. 40 min. W. 64.42 rods to a post; thence S. 68 deg. 25 min. W. 3.69 rods to the center of said road, 26.36 poles; thence S. 76 deg. 50 min. W. 22.18 rods to a post; thence S. 4 deg. W. 35.75 rods to the center of said Delaware road; thence in an easterly direction along the center of said Delaware road, 13.32 rods to the place of beginning, containing Ninety-Four and 83-100 acres of land. (94.83 A.)

THIRD PARCEL The following described real estate in the Second Quarter of the Sixth Township, Range Fourteen, Knox County, Ohio, being the central part of Lot No. 13, and being part of the Hog's Section, so called, beginning at the center of the intersection of the Delaware Road and the Liberty Road, so called; thence in a southerly direction along the center of said Liberty Road, 16.61 rods to a stake; thence S. 73 deg. 40 min. W. 64.42 rods to a post; thence S. 68 deg. 25 min. W. 3.69 rods to the center of said road, 26.36 poles; thence S. 76 deg. 50 min. W. 22.18 rods to a post; thence S. 4 deg. W. 35.75 rods to the center of said Delaware road; thence in an easterly direction along the center of said Delaware road, 13.32 rods to the place of beginning, containing Ninety-Four and 83-100 acres of land. (94.83 A.)

First Parcel appraised at \$1,000.00. Second Parcel appraised at \$2,500.00. Third Parcel appraised at \$5,000.00. Terms of Sale—One third cash, and the balance in two equal installments, payable from day of sale; deferred payments to bear interest at six per cent per annum, and be secured by mortgage on the premises sold. Or purchaser may pay all cash, if he so elect. Said premises will first be offered in parcels, and will then be offered as a whole, and will be sold to the highest bidder.

P. J. PARKER, Sheriff Knox County, O. Park B. Blair, attorney for plaintiff. 11-23-15-23-25

ARREST

Of John Berry On A Peace Warrant

John Berry was arrested by Constable R. B. McCune on Tuesday afternoon on a peace warrant sworn out before Squire H. W. Koons by Russell Robertson. The time for the hearing has not yet been set.

DO IT NOW

Everybody knows that he ought to save something for a rainy day, or for old age; but many put it off until tomorrow, next week, next month, next year. They forget it will be just as hard to begin to save next week as it is this week. Get a grip on yourself, and do it now. Open an account with this strong, conservative bank, and set your money to work for you. It stays on the job days, nights, Sundays, and holidays, earning 3 per cent a year, compounded semi-annual, and the more you save the easier it gets.

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SHERIFF'S SALE Delilah Hennegan vs. Belle Finerman et al. KNOX COMMON PLEAS. By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Knox County, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the door of the Court House, in Mt. Vernon, Knox county, on

Saturday, the 7th day of January, 1911,

between the hours of 1 p. m. and 3 p. m. of said day, the following described real estate subject to the dower of Jonathan Colopy and Henry Smithwhisher, situate in the township of Smithwhisher, county of Knox and State of Ohio. Being part of the south parts of lots numbered eight and nine in the original survey of section two, township seven and range eleven, U. S. M. lands; being part of the Duncan land so called, beginning fifty one (51) rods and six (6) feet east from the southwest corner of lot number eight (8) aforesaid; thence east to the south-east corner of lot number nine (9); thence north, thirty-one (31) and 17-100 perches; thence west to within fifty-seven (57) rods and six (6) feet of said lot number eight (8); thence south 31 and 17-100 perches to the place of beginning, estimated to contain twenty (20) acres.

Appraised at \$433.33, subject to said dower estate. Terms of sale—One third in hand, one third in one year and one third in two years from date of sale, with interest, deferred payments to be secured by a mortgage upon the premises sold, or the purchaser may elect to pay all cash.

P. J. PARKER, Sheriff Knox County, Ohio. Koons & Sons, attorneys for plaintiff. 12-24-15, 23-25